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For Norfolk,

The regular trading schnr GEO. WASHINGTON, captain Jackson will sail Friday the 26th inst. For freight or passage apply on board at Ramsay's wharf, or to JOHN M'COBB,

Who has received by said vessel and for sale,
Io qr. casks sweet Malaga wine
2 hhds sugar
9 puncheons W. I. rum
March 23 3t

For Boston,

The schr REAPER, Blanchard, master, is now loading, and will take some freight if immediate application is made.

For Freight,

The schr LENITY, captain Gilkey, carries about 800 barrels; a new vessel, and will be ready to load in a few days.

For Sale,

The brig HARRIOT, burthen 1000 barrels, about four years old, built at Newburyport, of the best materials, is well found, and in good order for any voyage—she will be sold low. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE,

Who have for sale the cargo of schr Trephon, of 140 tons plaster paris; and cargo of schr Lenity, of 450 casks fresh lime.
March 22

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale the cargo of schooner Caravan
55 tons plaster Paris
70 barrels New-England rum
6 hhds retailing molasses
10 bales Russia duck of first quality
2 bales hard pressed hay
2 hhds vinegar
6 cases bottled cider
Also, received per sloop Rose-in-Bloom,
10 hhds. N. E. Rum.
10 tons Swedes Iron, assorted sizes.
Also the cargo of Sloop Visitor, from Bath.
17 thousand feet of merchantable pine boards.
27 do. clean do.
15 do. deep Joist.

For Manzanzes or Havana,

The schnr. CARAVAN, John B. Trickey, Master, burthen 70 tons or about 500 barrels—a substantial good vessel, will be ready to receive freight for either of the above named ports in 3 days.

For Freight,

The new and substantial sloop VISITOR, J. Merriman, Master, burthen 700 bbls. will take a freight for Boston, Portland, or any eastern port, and in a few days will be ready to receive a cargo. Apply as above.
March 22

For Freight. Coastwise,

The substantial and fast sailing sloop SUSAN, I. Thornton, master, burthen 600 barrels. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND,

Who has for sale her cargo of
56,000 feet eastern boards
March 20

For Darien,

The superior and fast sailing schr LADY'S-DELIGHT, John Benedict, master. She has most of her cargo ready, will commence loading on Monday, can take 200 bls freight, and will accommodate 5 or 6 passengers. Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.

Who have just received and for sale,
100 barrels Suffolk tar
10 pipes India Point gin
5 improved patent corn-shellers, invented by Zina Phinney March 20

For Freight,

The ship HAZARD, burthen 3300 bls is in complete order and ready to load as soon as her present cargo can be discharged. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
january 19

For Freight, Coastwise,

The schnr. RAPID, Capt. Morton, will carry about 700 barrels, an excellent vessel and will be ready to receive a cargo in three days. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
March 15

For Freight.

To the south of Europe or an Eastern Port.

The schnr. REAPER, N. Blanchard, master, carries about 1400 barrels, will be ready for the reception of a cargo in all the week, and take freight on moderate terms. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Who have for sale, received by said schnr.
240 tons plaster
50 barrels N. E. rum
Also for sale, received per schnr Hiland, from Philadelphia,
6 bbls } refined crab cyder
10 bbls }
650 gross bottling corks
Apply as above. March 16

For Freight,

The substantial well built and fast sailing ship NEW-JERSEY, burthen 400 tons or 4300 barrels, now in complete order for the reception of a cargo, Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
3 mo. 13

For Sale,

The elegant and very fast sailing sloop FRANCES, burthen 40 tons, nearly new, and in complete order.—Apply to T. H. HOWLAND,
2 mo 20

For Philadelphia,

The schnr HILAN, John Hand, master, will sail in a few days. For freight or passage apply to the master on board, at Vowell's wharf; or to
March 13 DANIEL SOMERS.

For Liverpool, Direct,

The fine copper bottomed ship BOSTON, *O. P. Finley*, master, will sail for Liverpool in all this month. It is expected she will be an early fall ship, by which merchants of the District may have an opportunity of receiving their goods direct. A few passengers can be accommodated. Apply to the master on board, at Thompson's wharf. March 11

For Freight,

The new and fast sailing brig Nereus, burthen 225 tons or about 2000 bbls. she is a superior copper fastened vessel, and daily expected from an Eastern port. Apply to
February 24 JOHN H. LADD & Co.

For Freight,

The ship MARIA, J. Swaine, master, carries 3,500 barrels, is an excellent vessel, and in complete order to receive a cargo on board. Apply to LAWARASON & FOWLE.

For Freight,

The fine fast sailing Schr. FARMERS FRIEND, A. Seemis, master burthen, 80 tons or 450 barrels. She is nearly new, and will be in complete order for the reception of a cargo in 8 days. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
2 mo 20

For Sale or Freight,

The schnr LADIES-DELIGHT, John Benedict, master, burthen 950 barrels, an excellent vessel, and in all respects well equipped for a voyage. Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co

Who have for sale, on board said vessel,
30 tons plaster paris
15 barrels N. E. rum
March 17

For Sale,

A small schooner, well calculated for the approaching fishing season.

ALSO,

Four casks real Bridport seine twine, with a general assortment of rope, tar, boards, scantling, shingles, &c. &c.

JOSIAH HEWES DAVIS.
February 15 3w

For Sale,

TWENTY-FIVE hundred bushels Isle May salt, superior quality
10 hhds high flavored Antigua spirit
Apply to JAMES SANDERSON.
March 13

New Livery Stable.

THE subscriber has established, on the wharf, a stable of horses, and he takes this method of acquainting the citizens of Alexandria, particularly those gentlemen residing on the wharf, that there will be good saddle horses and carriages always in constant readiness for those who may please favor him with their calls.

N. B. Horses will be taken to livery by the day, week, or month.

WM. B. STEWART,
March 11 tA7

Corn.

TWELVE thousand bushels of yellow and white corn, principally of the former kind in preference, will be purchased with cash by JOHN H. LADD & Co.

Who offer for sale,
2000 bushels Turks Island salt, daily expected. March 10

Cotton.

TWENTY-TWO bales excellent quality Georgia Upland—just received and for sale by T. H. HOWLAND.
january 4

English & German Almanacs

For 1819,

WITH a large and general stock of *school books and stationary*, suitable for the country trade, for sale by
Oct 6 JOHN A. STEWART.

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.

Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

Hemp and Sugars.

TWENTY tons very superior clear Russia hemp.
32 barrels Muscavado sugars,
Landing from brig Ventrosa, capt Allen, from Boston, for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 1

Liverpool Salt.

TWO THOUSAND bushels coarse Liverpool salt, the cargo of the sloop Alert, for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE,

Who have just received 100 boxes fresh raisins. january 13

Piano Fortes.

TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes, with the additional keys, for sale by JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

The Gentleman's

ANNUAL POCKET REMEMBRANCER

For 1819,

CONTAINING—The Almanac; ruled pages for memorandums; duties payable on goods, &c.; naval and custom house officers; public appraisers; information concerning patents; post office establishment; official army and navy lists; a correct register of the American navy; marine corps; government of the U. States, executive, legislative and judiciary; territorial governments; intercourse with foreign nations; directors and cashiers of the bank of the U. States, &c. &c.

ALSO,

THE LADY's POCKET-BOOK for 1819,

Containing—The Almanac; ruled pages for memorandums; description of Pitcairn's island; bishop Watson's letter on a future state; remarks on female dress and on marriage; morality of the Battledore; account of the Cherokee schools. *Selected Poetry*—Answers to last year's enigmas; charades; new and fashionable songs; rebuses. New country dances and waltzes; marketing tables; tables reducing shillings and pence to cents; also for showing the value of dollars in pounds, shillings and pence—

Are just received for sale by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
November 24 dtf

Sugar, &c.

LANDING from the brig Union, capt. Williams, from Marblehead, and for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE,
150 bags white sugars, superior quality
220 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia duck
200 do heavy and light ravens do
200 do white and brown shirtings
4000 lbs soft shelled almonds. jan 1

Salt.

TEN THOUSAND bushels of Liverpool coarse—Cadiz and Turks Island salt, received per brigs Benefactor and Dove, and schnr Virginia Ann, and for sale by M. Miller & Son, or
jan 22 T. H. HOWLAND.

Sales at Vendue.

On every Tuesday and Friday,

WILL BE SOLD,

At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water streets,

Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

☞ All kinds of goods which are on limitation, and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation prices.
january S. A. MARSTELLER.

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.

December 5, 1818.

THE Stockholders of the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria are hereby notified that one quarter of the seventh instalment is called for to this institution, payable at the Bank on the 19th January next, one quarter on the 19th of February, and one half of the eighth instalment on the 19th of March next. By order of the Board,
Dec 7 P. H. MINER, Cashier.

Spirits, Sugar, &c.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality Antigua and Jamaica spirits
Superfine Barbados sugar, in hhds
Jamaica pimento
Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts—for sale on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st.
N. REILLY.

Phoenix Mill.

THE subscriber informs his friends and the public generally that he has taken the Phoenix Mill, 2 miles from town and can accommodate them at the shortest notice with meal.—Country customers attended to as usual and every exertion will be used by the miller to render satisfaction.

Ground Plaster may be had at all times by the ton or bushel, and the Alexandria price given for wheat.

ISRAEL JANNEY, Jr.
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Exchange & Broker's Office,

Georgetown, District of Columbia.

ROMULUS RIGGS,

AT his office, next door below Crawford's tavern, Bridge-st Georgetown, will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on the most reasonable terms.—All persons who may have notes on the banks of North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, would do well to call on him, as he is largely in the purchase of that kind of money, and will take it on the most reasonable terms.—Persons travelling to the Western Country may at all times get the Bank Notes of the Western Banks at a fair discount, by calling at his Office. For the information of all persons throughout the U. States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all of the Banks of the District of Columbia pay their notes on demand in specie; and it would be much to the advantage of the merchants, and trading to the South and west, to encourage the circulation of the Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, as it will at all times answer for remittances to the large commercial and Atlantic towns;—all persons emigrating or travelling to the westward should be very particular and take the Notes of the Banks of the District of Columbia, as they will find them the most current, there being no counterfeits on the District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of Alexandria has long since failed—all persons should be on their guard, as they will be imposed on. August 18

Valuable Family Medicines.

JUST received direct from the proprietors, the following valuable Medicines, all of which have been in use for a number of years past, in almost every part of the United States; have been highly patronised by people of the first respectability; and approved by those who have had occasion to make use of them, for the cure of those disorders, for which they are severally calculated.

Dr. Lee's Genuine (Windham) Bilious Pills,

Universally known and used throughout the United States as a Family Medicine. The fame of these pills has become so great that many have attempted to counterfeit them—to guard against this, the proprietors have procured a Stereotype Label, and each box of Genuine Lee's Pills will hereafter be enclosed in one of these labels, with these words on the sides: "Lee's Genuine Windham Bilious Pills," and on the end of the Label the words, "Samuel Lee, patentee, &c. I. Thompson, agent, joint proprietor," &c. and should any be offered for sale without said Label on them, the purchaser may be apprised that they are counterfeit.

Dr. Thompson's Celebrated Eye-Water:

For the cure of inflamed and sore eyes of almost every description. This valuable preparation comes highly recommended from the most respectable sources. Price 50 and 25 cents a bottle.

Dr. Rawson's Genuine Itch Ointment:

A certain and safe cure for that disagreeable complaint, as well as other irruptions of the skin. Price 37½ cents a box.

Dr. Rawson's Anti-Bilious and Stomachic Bitters,

For weakly and infirm constitutions. Price 37½ cents a box.

Hinckley's Infallible Remedy for the Piles,

A most valuable medicine. Price 50 cents a box.

Specific Drops for the Tooth Ache,

Which in almost every case, gives instant relief, in that distressing complaint. Price 37½ cents a bottle.

Cooley's Vegetable Elixir, for Coughs, Asthmas, Consumptions, &c.

A very valuable medicine in those complaints. Price 50 cents a bottle.

For sale in Alexandria, by *Edward Stabler & Richard H. Litle;* in Georgetown, by *John Little Otho. M. Linthicum & Co. & Nathaniel Jewit;* Washington City, *David Ott & Elisha Harrison.* 6w March 1

H. Lawrason & Fowle

HAVE FOR SALE,
100 pieces Russia duck
220 heavy and light Ravens do
120 white and brown sheetings
200 diapers; 100 do crash
50 chests young hyson tea, of the Clothier and Benjamin Rush's cargo
20 pipes Holland gin, superior quality
20 French and Spanish brandy
10 puncheons windward island rum
8 pipes old Sicily Madeira wine
Pipes, half pipes, quarter, and half quarter casks Superior Old Madeira and Malmsey wine, from the house of Keers & Co. [2d to 20d
400 casks cut nails, assorted sizes, from
150 boxes mould candles, super. quality
400 brown soap
20 barrels sperm oil
Boston and Chelmsford window glass, of all sizes
Bales of baftas, mamoodies and flag handkerchiefs
150 crates assorted Liverpool ware
80 barrels mackerel, in wh. & hf. bbls.
December 11

The Public

CAN at all times be supplied, on the very best terms, with checks and bills at sight, and short dates to suit their convenience, on

Baltimore,	New-York,
Philadelphia,	Boston.

Apply at my *Exchange Banking House*, Bridge-street, Georgetown, where the fair and most reasonable exchange can be had on bank notes from all parts of the United States. ROMULUS RIGGS.
Fabruary 22

Shoes and Hats

S. & D. REED

HAVE just received a fresh supply, consisting of the following kinds—
Ladies' morocco bootees [colored
Do walking shoes, black &
Do leather do
Do cork sole do
Do morocco slips with military heels
Do black and colored
Do kid slips do
Misses' and children's morocco and leather
Men's calf skin shoes [ther shoes
Do thick do; boys' thick and bound do
Men's and boys ow priced hats
Boys' white wool low priced do
2 boxes ladies' fine straw bonnets

All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, or at the usual time to punctual dealers that purchase by the quantity. We take this method to inform country merchants that we have made arrangements for a large supply of shoes for the ensuing spring, and shall be able to furnish them at the lowest Baltimore and Philadelphia prices. tf February 12

Umbrella and Trunk Manufactory.

King-Street two doors below Washington st.

DANIEL PIERCE, respectfully informs the public that he has constantly for sale a general assortment of Umbrellas, Parasols and Trunks, which he will sell at the lowest northern prices—likewise a small assortment of sword and other walking canes—umbrellas and trunks repaired

An excellent Turning Lathe will be disposed of at cost, if applied for soon.
jan 22 ftutf

Salt.

EIGHT THOUSAND bushels Isle of May salt, fit for the fisheries. Apply to JOHN DOUGLASS & Co.
March 11 Or JONAH THOMPSON.

Sack Salt.

LINDSAY & HILL, have just received per sloop OCEAN, from Norfolk, and for sale
100 sacks fine Liverpool salt
Also, just received in store
100 sides sole leather Feb 27

New Clover Seed, Cheese, &c.

FIFTY bushels fresh warranted Clover Seed
60 casks Goshen cheese
50 barrels whiskey
40 kegs lard in nice shipping order
35 firkins butter
800 lbs. Tennessee live feathers
5 pipes choice London particular Madeira

Murdock & Co. and March & Co's brands, which will be sold low by the pi or less quantity.

N. B. A general assortment of groceries as usual.

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR
February 8

Pork.

A FEW barrels of prime PORK at the ware house of Mr. Ambrose Vasse, Washington-street.

STROTHER M. HELM.
February 20

Wheat, Old Corn, and Maryland Tobacco,

PURCHASED BY
Oct 24 *LAWRASON & FOWLE.*

Blacking for Boots & Shoes,

Superior to any ever offered to the public.

ROBERT COCHRAN,

No. 48, North Fourth-street, next door to the Green Tree Inn, Philadelphia.

WITH confidence offers to the public, his superior Portable and Liquid blacking, so much admired and approved of, which is manufactured by himself only.

This blacking possesses every desirable quality, being of an oily nature, it preserves the leather perfectly soft to the last, and keeps it from cracking—it is a jet black, affords a most superlative polish, entirely free from any offensive smell, and so clean as not to soil the whitest muslin or any other substance it may chance to rub against, and will keep in any climate—it has a peculiar advantage in being put up in a portable manner, and may be packed without possibility of risque, with the nicest clothes or goods. The Portable Blacking is much adapted for gentleman residing or travelling in the country, where materials for making Blacking is not to had, and as for cheapness and elegance, far exceeds any ever imported or manufactured in the union. Where is sold as above, the beautiful Chinese Liquid Blacking, for ladies morocco boots and shoes, which makes the oldest morocco boots or shoes appear the same as when new. Sold wholesale at the manufactory, as above.

N. B. Please observe that each bottle it sealed and signed by the proprietor, to prevent spurious impressions being imposed on the public.

It may be had at the following places in Alexandria.—Dr. Stabler and Richard Woods on Fairfax street,—Dr. Semmes, & Dr. Little's apothecary shops, on King-street.—Isaac Entwisles, shoe factory, and Thomas Mount's factory & Hardware store on King-street. sw2m March 20

St. Ubes Salt & Lemons.

FOR SALE, the cargo of the schooner Union, captain Swain, from St. Ubes,
3000 bushels St. Ubes salt
25 boxes lemons
Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE,
February 12

W. & W. Hannon,

CABINET-MAKERS,

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public in general, that they still continue to carry on the above business in all its various branches, at the same old stand, Royal-st. between King and Prince, and have now on hand a handsome assortment of cabinet ware, all of their own manufacture; consisting of side-boards, secretarys and book cases, bureaus, ladies' work stands, mahogany and stained wood bedsteads, cradles, sophas and easy-chairs, one handsome mahogany writing desk, &c. &c. Also, on hand a large quantity of St. Domingo and Bay Mahogany, in log and boards, and cut to any dimensions at a short notice—four or five thousand feet of elegant veneers for bureaus and secretarys, all of which they are determined to sell lower than the same quality can be had in the district. All kinds of upholstry work done as usual.

They would rent for one or more years a very excellent shop and yard for a carpenter, wheelwright, or blacksmith, situated on Royal-street, between Prince and Duke street. Feb 11

GAZETTE
AND
Alexandria Daily Advertiser.
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Daily Gazette, 7 dolls...Country, 5 dolls.
THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1819.

REPLY to the STRICTURES on the REPORT of the COMMITTEE of the SENATE.

From the National Intelligencer.

TO THE PUBLIC.

(*Continued.*)

These documents never before having been called for, were not previously transmitted: nor was this design of taking St. Augustine, (after the close of the war,) known to the committee until this disclosure; and it was thought necessary that the documents should *accompany*, and be taken notice of in the report. If further evidence be necessary to convince the most incredulous "that no improper or unnecessary delay was observed in making the report," it will be furnished by the following facts:

The Senate of the United States is connected, by the constitution, with the Executive, in the exercise of the treaty-making power.

On the 9th or 10th of February, the chairman of the committee was confidentially informed that the treaty with Spain would probably be brought to a favorable result, in a short time; and a suggestion was made, that a report on the subject of the occupation of Florida might by possibility, affect the negociation, if made previous to the signing of the treaty.

These facts and suggestions were immediately communicated to a majority of the members of the committee, and more especially Mr. King, whose experience in diplomatic concerns gave him a full opportunity of forming a correct judgment on the subject.

This gentleman, with two other members of the committee, besides the chairman, agreed that the report should be kept back a few days, until the treaty was received.—On Monday the 22nd of February this treaty was sent to the Senate; on the 24th it was ratified, and on the same day the report was made. And this accounts for the only delay that was not occasioned by the difficulty of obtaining the evidence proper to an understanding of the case, and which it was impossible for the committee sooner to obtain.

Thus it appeared that the charge, in the strictures, that the report was kept back to injure General Jackson, is totally without foundation. And it is equally untrue that "*his friends*"* on the committee had no opportunity of making a defence. The same time was afforded them to make a defence, that was given to the chairman to write the report. They were present when the decision of the committee was made, and the chairman received his instructions. A counter statement might have been prepared and offered, in the manner pursued by Col. Johnson, in the House of Representatives; or, if this course should have been thought ineligible or irregular, when the report was made to the Senate, it might have been called up at any time, and a resolution offered, approbating or excusing the conduct of Gen. Jackson, and this resolution might have been prefaced by reasons at large, in opposition to the reasons offered by the committee, and thus the minority on the committee would have had a full opportunity of laying before the public the result of their deliberate opinions on the subject. Neither is it true "that the chairman declined annexing the customary resolutions to the report." But, on the contrary, the fact is known to every member of the committee that, when the chairman presented the report, the question was put by him, whether resolutions should be annexed, and the committee decided unanimously in the negative. But it appears by the Strictures, that the chairman of the committee has been almost the sole actor on this occasion, and has had the entire control of the committee and of the Senate.

The author of the Strictures, in thus giving importance to the individual concerned, has unintentionally done him too much honor, the acceptance of which, at the expense of the Senate, he begs leave to decline, desirous, as it relates to himself, of being only considered what the senate had constituted him—the chairman of the select committee. As their organ, he was subject to their control, and acted in conformity to their instructions; as in like manner, the committee was controlled by the Senate, and bound to observe the instructions received from that body.

And it was a source of no small gratification to the committee to find that their conduct in the investigation was approved by the Senate, and that it was so approved is manifest from the following facts:

On the 17th February, 1819, Mr. Forsyth, a member of the select committee, resigned his seat in the senate, and of course was no longer a member of the committee; and on the same day, a resolution was offered in the senate, proposing that another member should be added to the committee in the place of Mr. Forsyth. On this question a discussion took place; and it was expressly and repeatedly stated, that the remaining members of the committee were equally divided; that, unless the vacancy was filled, no report could be made to the senate. The nature of the report to be made, and the additional evidence procured, was also fully disclosed.

The members of the committee opposed to the report, particularly Mr. King, stated to the senate that his object was that the committee should be discharged; and, that the senate's refusing to add another member to the committee would be equivalent to discharging the committee; and, with this understanding, to try the principle, and take the sense of the senate in discharging the committee. Mr. Eaton moved the postponement of the resolution before the senate to a day beyond the session, and on this question the yeas and nays were called; 16 members voted in favor of the postponement, and 21 against it.*

Thus it appears that the select committee of the senate was appointed by the unanimous voice of that body; that they were with the same unanimity vested with powers to send for persons and papers, and specially instructed to make the investigation; and that, after the investigation had been made, the facts disclosed, and the substance of the report, then prepared, were made known to the senate.

That body, by a strong majority, refused to release them, and held them to a discharge of their duty; so that it is not the committee alone, but the Senate of the United States, that should be considered, as they really are, responsible for this transaction, not, fortunately, to a military *chieftain* or *subalterns in the army*, but to the American people.

It is not the fact, as stated by the author of the Strictures, that Gen. Jackson was charged in the report, with acting from mercenary motives and views of speculation in Florida lands. No such charge was made; neither can such a charge be fairly inferred from any part of the report.

The words selected by the writer, and which are tortured into such a charge, are these:—"The tendency of these measures of the commanding general seems to have been to involve the nation in a war without her consent, and for reasons of his own, unconnected with his military functions."

In these observations there is no charge of the nature complained of, either expressed or implied, nor was any such designed; and it must have been *extreme sensibility* on this subject could have induced the author to have drawn such an inference. The plain and obvious meaning of these words are, that Gen. Jackson, as a military officer, had no right to judge of what was cause of war with a neutral, and his attempting to reason and act on this subject was an usurpation of the civil powers of the government and of course, unconnected with his military functions.

But, since so much *anxiety* has been discovered on this branch of the subject, and so much pains taken to refute a charge never made on Gen. Jackson but by the author of the Strictures, it may not be amiss to state that, had the committee been disposed to receive and give credit to such hearsay evidence as that on which Arbuthnot was hung, there might have been more necessity for the elaborate defence set up on this point.

And thus it must be seen, notwithstanding what is said in the Strictures, that the committee were disposed to deal, not only with fairness, but with tenderness, towards Gen. Jackson. He was heard by his staff; his bosom friends, and the members of his own family, were selected as the witnesses; and when a call was made in writing on the Secretary of War, for information, it was sent to Gen. Jackson, and the enquiries made by the committee were answered by him; and he goes at large into the reasons that induced him to occupy Pensacola. This letter of Gen. Jackson's was received and considered by the committee, and will be found among the documents accompanying their report. Thus, it must appear, to every unprejudiced mind, that Gen. Jackson had not only an opportunity of being heard before the committee and of furnishing all the documents in his possession, but that the committee were anxious, as well on his account as on account of the character of the nation, to obtain evidence in justification of his conduct.

It now becomes necessary to take some notice of the deposition of Col. Butler annexed to the Strictures. This gentleman was examined before the committee, and his testimony was taken down by Mr. Burrill, a member, and afterwards read to him, and he assented to as written. After which, on a subsequent day, when some other witnesses were examined, it appeared there was a material variance, on a particular fact, between their evidence and that of Col. Butler; and it was mentioned to Mr. Eaton, by the chairman, that the probability was, that the col. had been mistaken as to that fact, and advised him to mention the circumstance to him, that if, on reflection, he should think he had fallen into an error, he might be able to correct it. This information was given to Colonel Butler, as Mr. Eaton afterwards stated, and the Colonel sent word by Mr. E. that he had, on reflection, discovered his mistake, and desired the committee to alter his deposition; but Mr. Eaton was requested to inform the colonel that he must attend to it himself—that it could not be done in his absence, and on the suggestion of another person.

It is true that Mr. Burrill did state to the officer examined, that he would write out his deposition in a fairer hand, and he would be called upon to sign it. But it is a fact equally true, and which should have been stated in col. Butler's last deposition, that those officers left the city before time was given for the depositions to be made out, and remained absent until near the close of the session, and after the report and documents were printed. It was not to have been expected that, after the fairness, as well as the kindness of the committee towards col. Butler, as it regarded his testimony, that he would, on his oath, afterwards have indulged himself in any reflections on that committee—more especially when it is considered (if the Strictures be true, and it is believed they were written under his eye) that he was mistaken in another fact that was stated by him—that of the governor of Tennessee being in Nashville when gen Jackson called out and organized the volunteers There is no disposition felt to injure the feelings of col. Butler, but he should not have invited discussion on a subject of such delicacy to himself.

But to silence forever all clamor on the subject of the depositions, and to remove every doubt from the minds of the most suspicious, they are referred to the original depositions themselves, on file in the office of the Secretary of the Senate, and in the very words used by them, and written by Mr. Burrill, and examined, and approved by the witnesses themselves. And, if the trouble be taken to compare the original depositions with the printed copies, it will be found that not a single alteration was made, but those of a verbal nature, except in the deposition of gen Gibson, in two paragraphs, which were made by himself, and at his own request, and with his own hand in the presence of Mr. Burrill and the chairman, and after his deposition was in the hands of the printer.

Having already observed that gen. Gibson had made some alteration, in his first deposition, it is necessary, for a correct knowledge and explanation of this subject, to refer to his second deposition, as it appeared in the Intelligencer of the 10th March. In this it is stated that Mr. Burrill and the chairman had refused to let him add to his statement two letters that he considered necessary to illustrate the subject. It is true that gen. Gibson was told that he might strike out what he thought proper from the deposition, but he could not add any new facts—for that could only be done by a majority of the committee when authorized to call for and examine witnesses; that the committee on the subject of the Seminole war, having made their report, was out of existence, and no power remained with those members who had composed that committee more than any others of the Senate. Gen. Gibson then stated, that "he had given the letters in question to Mr. Eaton, of the committee, some considerable time before, and requested him to lay them before the committee and have them attached to his deposition." Gen. Gibson was then informed that "no such letters had been put in possession of the committee by Mr. Eaton." This conversation took place in the Secretary's office, while the senate was in session. On my return to the senate chamber, Mr. Eaton was asked by me, privately, whether or not such letters had been received by him from Gen. Gibson—he said, "*they had*, and he had not thought proper to lay them before the committee."—All those facts relative to the letters were afterwards stated by me, in my place, when the senate was in session, and Mr. Eaton was called upon to state whether he had not received such letters and withheld them from the committee; and he stated to the Senate that he had, and that he never had submitted them to the committee. Thus it will appear, that so far from refusing to admit the introduction of those papers into the statement of gen. Gibson, the committee never knew of their existence until after the report was made. It is but fair to observe, that gen. Gibson has been long known to me, and no one is more willing to subscribe to his correctness as an officer, and private worth as a man—and it is confidently believed, that, when convinced of the fact, that he has charged the committee with an impropriety of conduct, that, if improper, can but attach to a single member, he will rejoice at having an opportunity of correcting the error.

(*To be continued.*)

* The word "friends" is used as a quotation from the Strictures. It is certain that Gen. Jackson had not an enemy on the committee, although his conduct was disapproved.

* See the annexed extract from the Journals of the Senate.

ALEXANDRIA:

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1819.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette.

MR. SNOWDEN,

I would much rather cease to exist than cease to be a christian—and on this point I have such a lively sympathy with all my fellow creatures, that I cannot contemplate without extreme pain the doing of any act, or the circulation of any opinion which tends to exhibit christianity (which is too often the case), as if its doctrines were at variance with the rational and moderate enjoyments of life, being persuaded that tho' severe discipline may, under the stimulation of enthusiasm, be endured for a time, the moment its operation begins to flag, it leaves behind a relaxation very dangerous to that religious tone of the mind, which alone can be uniformly and permanently maintained by beings beset with appetites and passions, and debilitated with human infirmity.—The ample provision which it has pleased the Almighty, in his boundless beneficence, to make for the delights even here below for his creature man, the means with which he has supplied us for procuring rational pleasure, and the capacity he has bestowed upon us for enjoying it, must certainly have been intended for use, not for surly self-conceited rejection. He might, had it pleased him, have enabled us to live without annexing pleasure to eating and drinking—but he has on the contrary rendered pleasure in all sound and healthful creatures that live, inseparable from the support of life.—If the absence of what we call rational pleasure were desirable in his sight, he might have mingled all our food with disgusting bitterness—he would not have shaped our organs of hearing for the most transporting reception of sweet sounds, nor covered the face of the earth, in the most bounteous of his seasons, with odors which regale and delight our senses; and I can as soon believe in the doctrine of flagellation with one christian sect—or of perpetual sadness and mortification with some others—swing myself from a high tree, by means of an iron hook passed through my ribs—or make a bow to hold my arms perpendicularly erect over my head for my whole life in penance, like the debased Hindus, as believe that it can be pleasing in the eyes of God presumptuously to turn away from the bounties which he has evidently demonstrated he has intended for our use, by profusely scattering them around us. It cannot be supposed that I mean to argue in defence of the abuse of these special bounties—no,—though I say to my fellow beings, "eat, and drink, and be merry;" God forbid that I should preach excess, or even attempt to palliate the guilt of epicurism, gluttony, or drunkenness.—It was once said, that if the Quakers had made the world, it would have been all dressed in drab—but how would it be if it was left to the disposal of some of the sects? The bare idea of its condition, under their dispensation, chills the heart, and the precious gifts of heaven, spurned by human ingratitude and presumption, would be dashed back without participation in the face of the benevolent giver.—Be not righteous over-much! was perhaps in the contemplation of that most learned divine, and profound theologician, bishop Horsely, when he said that "the fault of the Methodists was not heterodoxy, but over-heated zeal." Theatrical amusements, which have for ages been favored by the wise, the grave, the pious, and the pure, as combining, with the relaxation useful and necessary to give elasticity to the mind and soul, the most impressive and salutary moral and intellectual instruction, and which have consequently flourished with luxurious elegance, in proportion to the enlightenment of society, have of late been assailed with more than usual frenzy in some parts of the union.

In the ardor of a zeal, well meant I do believe—but I also believe mistaken, these declaimers forget that a love of pleasure is a natural, and if moderately indulged, a rational principle, implanted for wise purposes in the bosoms of us all:—that it is unlawful to laugh, and criminal to pretend to be happy—an impious idea, which presents the Almighty and benevolent Disposer of the universe as a tyrant, and man as the victim of severe destiny—could only have entered an imagination clouded with despair, and impervious to the mild rays of hope and mercy.

But if the doors of our theatres could be closed, I fear that the divine and philanthropist would gain an effectual victory by driving a promiscuous multitude to the sties of sensuality and gambling and drunkenness, and the recesses of secret sin. I know how how easy it is, from the abuse to argue against the use of amusement, or of any thing however excellent—I know it may be said, that though the stage has for many years been purified from the impious railleries and obscene allusions which once tainted the dramas of Wycherly, Congreve, Dryden, and others, and which Collier had the glory of banishing from it, the avenues of the play house are surrounded by inducements to beastly drunkenness and gross disgusting immorality. But I also know that those are only incidental evils with which the drama has no necessary connection. I know that the cupidity of those curses of our country, the grog-sellers, either convert some part of the same building, within arm's length of the audience, to a den of beastly drunkenness, or rear a booth near the door, to profit by the filthy appetites of those who attend the theatre. I know too that the daughters of prostitution hie them thither, as they do to all crowded places, and that under the Ægis of a misinterpreted system of liberty, audacious vice often either poses the magistracy, or intimidates, bullies or corrupts its officers into acquiescence under profligacy that would be sufficiently flagrant and enormous to bring down, in any other country in Christendom but this, the heaviest chastisement from the hands of justice. But with these excesses the drama has nothing to do;—and they would be practised, though there were no such thing as a theatre in the land. Indeed there is no proposition more susceptible of proof, than that frequent theatrical exhibitions diminish the practice of sensuality, and draw away from the sties of drunkenness, the haunts of lewdness, and those dens of fraud and villany, the gambling houses, multitudes of unthinking victims. And if the chief magistrate of each town would cordially unite with the manager in excluding from the avenues and purlieus of every play house, the venders of liquors, preventing the admission of wine and ardent spirits in any shape, and discouraging, as much as possible, the entrance of those indecent women whose allurements, coarse and loathsome as they must be to any man of moderately refined taste, taint the whole mass that surrounds them, and impart to the imagination of unwary youth incurable pollution, the theatre would be a school of virtue.

This, however, is so very serious a subject that it demands more attentive consideration; and therefore I shall resume it in a future letter. DRAMATICUS.

From the London Morning Post of Jan. 5.

ATTEMPT TO EFFECT THE ESCAPE OF BONAPARTE.

A gentleman just arrived from St. Helena gives the following particulars of the late attempt to effect the escape of Bonaparte from that island. Our information is derived from a most respectable source, and we therefore, without hesitation, lay it before our readers just as we receive it:—

"An American vessel, apparently dismasted and otherwise injured, but purposely damaged, to avoid suspicion, made her apearance off St Helena. The necessary repairs were entered on with the greatest activity, whilst other schemes were prosecuting with industry in the interior. It had for some time previously been deemed expedient to have a daily view of the person of Bonaparte by a person appointed for that particular duty;—his medical attandant, however, caused it to be notified that the precarious state of the Emperor's health was such as to render it necessary that he should remain perfectly quiet at home, unannoyed by any personal inspection. In this feigned state of indisposition the witty Napoleon secretly quitted his bed room about midnight—by means the most artful he actually passed the guard, and eluding the vigilance of no less than seven sentinels, succeeded in reaching the beach.

This was a juncture of high interest indeed! The means of escape which the Ex-Emperor was led so confidently to expect were, however, not yet perfect. It had been concerted that a certain signal should be given by him on his arrival at the beach. The signal was duly given, by hoisting a lantern at the end of a walking stick; but the boat that was to receive him not having yet sufficiently approached the shore, a single sentinel (of whose station on the beach Bonaparte had not been apprised,) on perceiving the light, came up, and with a fidelity equal to his resolution, seized the once great Captain, whose very name had been the terror of millions. He instantly forced him to the guard-house, from whence he was conveyed back to Longwood. It is scarcely necessary to add, he has ever since been watched with increased vigilance, though not treated personally with any, the slightest degree of rigour.

Alex'a. Common Council.

AN ACT,

To repeal so much of the act entitled "an act to repeal an act entitled an act transferring the duties of the street commissioner to the superintendant of police, and for other purposes" as relates to the appointment of a street commissioner.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the common council of Alexandria*, That so much of the act passed on the 12th day of March, 1818, as requires the duties formerly performed by the superintendant of police to be transferred to a street commissioner, be repealed, and that the said duties be retransferred to the superintendant of police.

SECT. 2. This act shall be in force from and after the passage thereof.

Passed in council this 11th day of March, 1819.
J. H. HOOE,
Pres. of the Com. Coun.
JACOB HOFFMAN, *Mayor.*
Approved 11th of March, 1819.
Teste, I. P. THOMPSON, C. C.

March 20, 1819.

Ordered, That Matthew Robinson, Alexander McKenzie, and Reuben Johnston, be commissioners to hold an election at A. Rhodes's tavern, on the 2nd day of April next, for a member to serve in the common council of Alexandria, for the first ward, in the place of Thomas Sanford, resigned.

A copy,
Teste, I. P. THOMPSON, C. C.

Notice.

☞ The inhabitants of Alexandria will take notice, that the subscribers have been appointed assessors for the present year, agreeably to the laws of the corporation.

"The said assessors shall, immediately after their appointment, proceed to value the houses and lots within the limits of the corporation, and to demand from the masters and mistresses of every family, lists of all male tytheables belonging to, or residing in their respective families, and also from every owner of taxable property, a list of such property. And if any master or mistress of a family, or any owner of taxable property, shall neglect or refuse to give in a list of all male tytheables belonging to, or residing in his or her family, or of his or her taxable property, within five days after demand made thereof by any assessor, the person so offending shall forfeit and pay one hundred dollars. And if any person whatsoever, shall wilfully omit or misrepresent in the list given in, any tytheable or any taxable property, or shall in any other manner conceal the same from the knowledge of the assessors, the person so offending shall forfeit and pay double the amount of the tax imposed on each tytheable or taxable property. Every merchant, shopkeeper, mechanic, or other person, having in his or her service or employment any clerk, journeyman, apprentice, or assistant, shall render an account of the same in his or her list of tytheables, and shall be accountable for the capitation tax hereby imposed, in like manner and under the same penalties, as if such clerk, journeyman, apprentice, or assistant, were a member of his or her family."

JAMES LAWRASON,
WM. RAMSAY, Jr.

Clerk's Office,

Alexandria, March 23, 1819.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the practice of issuing writs after the first day of the session of the court, returnable to the same term, will be discontinued. All writs issued after the commencement of the term will be made returnable to the next court.

EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.

☞ The *letter bag* of the ship Boston, for Liverpool, will be taken from the Coffee-house on Sunday morning next.

Notice.

A Legionary Court will be held at the Court house, on SATURDAY the 27th inst. at 10 A. M. By order

WM. A. WILLIAMS, Adjt

March 19

Vaccine Institution.

THE small pox having appeared in Alexandria, such persons as have been vaccinated by the subscriber are invited to attend at his office, on St. Asaph-street, between Prince and Duke streets, to have their arms examined. Indigent persons are also invited to the same place for the purpose of being vaccinated. The subscriber will attend at his office every day in the week except Sunday, from 7 o'clock until 10 in the morning, for the purpose of receiving them.

He proposes also to be less particular than heretofore in the investigation of their claims to the benefit of the institution, as may respect their indigence and length of residence in town. The subscriber earnestly requests all such citizens as may be acquainted with persons liable to contagion, to send them without delay as above directed, where they will be served effectually and gratuitously.

March 25 tf GUST. A. BROWN.

Wheat.

WANTED CORNING wants to purchase 2000 bushels of good wheat —Vowells wharf. March 5

A Great Bargain Offered.

I WILL at private sale dispose of very low and upon terms in other respects favorable to the purchaser, that valuable piece of property, situate in the vicinity of Dumfries, and known as

THE UPPER MILL,

called CLIFTON, with about 240 acres of Land adjoining—formerly the property of James Deneale. If it shall not be disposed of at private sale, previously to the next Prince William court day (5th April,) it will then be sold at public auction before the door of Williams's tavern, in the town of Dumfries. The sale will be made under the superintendence of Mr. Wm. M. Craig, deputy marshal; to whom persons disposed to purchase the property by private contract, are referred.

J. L. McKENNA.

March 25

Wanted,

A SITUATION by a young man, who has been in the practice of teaching a school, and would further continue to do the same if any vacancy occurred. He will undertake to teach the following branches of education, viz: reading, writing, arithmetic and grammar; also geography with the use of the globes, and other useful branches of mathematics. Application made for I. L. E. at captain Rhodes's, Union and Marine Hotel, Union-street, (whether personal or by letter) will be duly attended to.

N. B. A situation will be accepted in either town or country.

March 19 7t*

Middling Ship-stuff & Bran.

WE have this day received for sale,
66 bbls ship stuff
15 middling
1250 bushels bran
Also, a consignment of
11 hhds first quality sugar
Which will be sold low. Apply to
M. MILLER & SON.
March 24 d6t

Lumber Yard,

At the lower end of Duke Street.

THE subscriber has just received a large assortment of shingles, which have been inspected agreeably to a late law of the corporation, and will be sold at the customary prices, with the necessary deduction for cullings—also, other lumber of various kinds, all of which will be sold as low as at any other Lumber Yard in the district.

ELISHA TALBOTT.

3 mo 23

Hats, Furs, &c.

SAMUEL D. HARPER has just received on commission, at his store on King-street,

Gentlemen's first, second and third quality beaver hats
Gentlemen's common do
Ladies' black beaver do
Do brown do do
Children's fancy hats
Servants' glazed do
Black and brown feathers
ALSO,
First and second quality beaver
Cow hair
Raccoon skins.

All of which will be sold on reasonable terms. tf March 24

Lost,

AT or near the Theatre, on Friday evening last, a *Topaz Stone*, belonging to a seal. The finder shall be handsomely rewarded on leaving it at this office. 4t March 22

Mahogany & Birch Scantling.

JUST received per schooner Lenity, and for sale

3000 feet birch scantling, suitable for bedsteads

Also, by schooner Lady's Delight,

3000 feet St. Domingo mahogany in boards, to be sold in lots for the accommodation of purchasers

ON HAND,

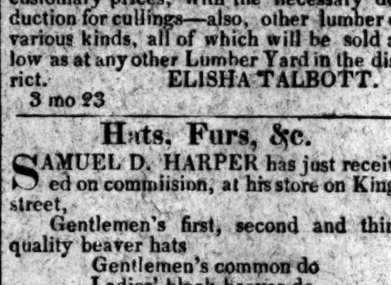
A few logs St. Domingo mahogany.

March 22 SAMUEL WARD

Notice

IS hereby given, that proposals will be received for cleaning the streets of Alexandria for one year, from and after the first of next month.

GEO. DRINKER,
3d mo 22 Superint'dt Police



The most grand, rich, and rare collection of

LIVING ANIMALS,

Ever exhibited in America,

To be seen on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the Ware-house of Thomas Triplett, next door to Mr. Allison's, on King-street, opposite John Grubb's store.

A RED, AFRICAN LION,
Two Arabian Camels,
Male and Female,
GUANACAS, OR LAMA, FROM PERU.
THE GUINEA LADY,
Or a species of the OURANG OUTANG;
THE AFRICAN APE;
THE LONG-TAILED MARMOZET;
FROM BARBARY;
The Brown Sago, from Africa;
And a number of other Animals.

Admittance to ladies and gentlemen, 50 cents—Children, under 12 years, of age, half price. Good music upon King David's cymbals, &c. March 20

Lemons and Oranges.

ONE hundred boxes prime Sicily lemons
50 do do oranges, in fine order, for sale by BARNEWALL & POPHAM.
IN STORE,
2500 bushels northern oats
100 bags prime green coffee
20 puncheons West India rum
12 do retailing molasses
20 bbls New England rum
50 boxes Turkey figs
300 demijohns
60 casks cut nails
L. P. Madeira, Teneriffe and claret wine in wood and bottles.

For Sale.

A VALUABLE negro man, 30 years old, an excellent wagoner, ploughman and ostler, and accustomed to the various kinds of field work—also, a young negro woman, 20 years old, together with her child, a boy about 2 years old. The woman is an expert plantation and house servant.

As these negroes have committed no fault they will be sold only to residents in the neighborhood of Alexandria.—Enquire of the Printer. Feb. 26

For Sale,

A YOUNG Negro Woman and, three children. She is a good cook, washer and ironer. Apply to the printer.

March 16 2w

Just Received,

AT the Cabinet ware-house, lower end of Prince-street, per schooner Reaper, and sloop Caleb Strong,

400 chairs, different kinds
10 bureaus and tables, different kinds
ALSO,
Printed carpeting, direct from Georgetown, (D. C.) sizes and patterns to suit purchasers
IN STORE,
3 sofas first quality, stuffed in hair cloth
18 waggons and harnesses
6 dozen sacking bottoms, different sizes
3 dozen cast steel axes
3 do hoes
60 bushels onions S. WARD.

March 15

Richmond Coal.

THE cargo of the schr. Erie, lying at Ramsay's wharf, of Heth's best coal, for sale by JOHN JACKSON & Co.

February 25

Sugar and Beef.

FIFTY barrels Muscovado sugar
70 barrels No. 1 beef
Landing from sloop Joseph and for sale by
jan 25 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Bricklayers and Stone Masons Wanted.

I WISH to employ, from the 1st of May next, for the ensuing season, a number of bricklayers and stone masons, to whom constant employment and good wages will be given, at Old Point Comfort, on Chesapeake Bay. None need apply but good workmen, and men of steady habits. Apply to the subscriber, at Old Point Comfort. BOLITHA LAWS.

February 6 tA1

The National Intelligencer and Federal Gazette will publish the above till April 1.

Wanted,

A WET nurse with a fresh breast of milk. One without a child would be preferred. Apply at this office. March 13

Rice and Cotton,

TWENTY-SEVEN casks fresh rice
10 bales prime Upland cotton, landing and for sale by
March 10 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Ground Plaster.

I HAVE on hand a large quantity of GROUND PLASTER in barrels and in bulk, which I will sell low.

A. P. GOVER.

March 15

New Clover Seed.

FIFTY bushels fresh warranted clover seed, just received and for sale by MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

March 9

Jesse S. Wilson,

AT the instance of several of the inhabitants of this place, has opened an

English School,

in St. Asaph-street, contiguous to *Edward Stabler's* residence. The number of scholars at this time not reaching the limitation, a few may be admitted, on application to either of the subscribers; of whom also further information, if required, may be obtained.

M. MILLER,
EDWARD STABLER,
ELISHA C. DICK,
RICHARD H. LITLE,
3d mo. 5 GEORGE S. HOUGH.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to *Samuel D. Harper*, are requested to make immediate payment to *Isaac Robbins*, who is alone authorised to receive the same, and adjust all unsettled accounts.

JOSIAH H. DAVIS,
March 19 Assignee of S. D. Harper.

Salt for Sale.

TEN THOUSAND bushels white Lisbon salt, suitable for the fisheries. Apply to NATHANIEL WATTLES, or
March 8 BRYAN HAMPSON & Co.

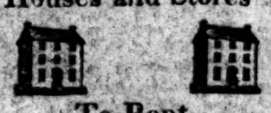
To Rent,

The warehouse, with or without the adjoining buildings, north on Washington street. Also, a convenient two story brick dwelling house nearely adjoining the store.

I. ROBBINS.

March 19

Houses and Stores



To Rent.

TWO brick houses and stores at the corner of King and Henry streets

One brick house and store on King, between Patrick and Henry streets

Two brick houses on Cameron-street, near the theatre

One brick house on Royal-street, for the time of the late occupant, Chas. Tyler.

Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

N. B. Sundry building lots on Fairfax, Duke, Prince, Cameron, Pitt, Queen and Royal streets, for sale or on ground rent.

February 13

To Rent,

A two story brick house, on Cameron-street, opposite the market-house, two rooms on a floor, and two in the garret, and a good dry cellar under the whole, with a fire place in the cellar, a brick kitchen, and other out-houses. This lot is 117 feet deep—the front room and half the cellar might be rented by a single person, if agreed for. Enquire of the subscriber.

JAMES CAMPBELL.

March 11 tf5M

Notice.

THE stockholders of the Falls Bridge Turnpike Company and the stockholders in the Georgetown and Leesburg Turnpike Company are notified that the annual meeting of said Companies for the purpose of electing a President, Directors and Treasurer, for the ensuing year will be held at Semins' tavern in Georgetown, on Monday the 21st day of March next.

JOHN MURDOCH, Trsu'r.
Of both companies

March 1 12tM

Chairs and Tables.

JUST received at the cabinet ware-house, on the corner of Prince and Union streets,

3 dozen elegant fancy rush bottom chairs
1 dozen mahogany tables
IN STORE,
A general assortment of goods in the cabinet and chair line, and more daily expected. SAMUEL WARD.

March 6

Plaster Paris.

JOHN H. LADD. & Co.

OFFER for sale, landing per sloop Polly & Sylvia

75 tons plaster paris
5 barrels sugar. March 4

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale at reduced prices, for approved paper at long dates

55 hhds West-India rum
68 N. E. rum
30 bls do do
15 hhds and 10 bls India Point and common gin
1 hhd and 1 bbl cherry bounce
10 bbls coloring
64 boxes white Havana sugar
23 brown do
80 hhds retailing molasses
26 bags green Havana coffee
20 chests young hyson tea
1 chest imperial do
350 boxes mould candles
25 do dipped do
57 do yellow and brown soap
50 do fancy soap
27 tons Russia old sable iron
200 pieces Russia sheetings
37 bales and cases English, India, German and domestic goods
18 boxes men's and boy's coarse and fine hats
3 cases large and small combs
20 frails Arabian dates
12 boxes Turkey figs
40 do Muscatel raisins
3 casks lemon juice
Cassia mustard and ginger
Pipes, half pipes and quarter casks Scotts and other Madeira and Sicily Madeira wines
Reams writing, sugar loaf, wrapping and sheathing paper
Bales English herring seine twine
1 bbl indigo
25 casks red ore
400 casks lime
1500 bushels loose lime
100 M clear and merchantable boards
2000 bushels Albany oats
2700 bushels Isle of May salt
3000 do Liverpool coarse do
600 do Lisbon do
15 casks Connecticut cheese
Boxes dun codfish
25 bls prime pork
10 navy beef
60 No. 2 herrings
35 casks English powder, lying in the powder house
5 cases men's and boy's shoes
50 boxes double refin'd Italian brimstone
25 Connecticut ploughs
Clocks, time pieces and mahogany furniture
Weavers' reeds or slays
Nest measures, boxes, gin cases and shaving boxes
100 grindstones
Yawl boats
110 kegs large and small twist manufactured tobacco
4 bales hops
15 tons fustic
15 crates and hhds Liverpool ware
40 boxes window glass, of various sizes
Cordage, handspikes, mast hoops, hanks, &c. &c. March 1

Just Received,

MUNFORD'S Reports, vol. 5th.
Parents' Assistant, 2 volumes
By Miss Edgeworth, a new edition with plates, on sale by ROBERT GRAY.

March 9

Wanted,

A YOUNG MAN of sober and steady habits, to superintend a fishery. None need apply but one who is well acquainted with seine hauling, and can come well recommended. Enquire of the Printer.

February 24

Fish Barrels and Salt.

TWELVE hundred fish barrels, superior quality, which will be sold low.
6000 bushels salt, suitable for the fisheries.
ALSO,
Cordage and cork for seines, for sale by
Feb 18 tf A. ADAMS,
Central wharf.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the inhabitants of Alexandria and its vicinity, that he has re-commenced the above business, opposite the Mechanics' Bank, King-street, and intends keeping on hand a handsome assortment of ladies' and gentlemen's boots and shoes of all descriptions of his own manufacture, at as reasonable prices as can be had in town, and of good quality, as he is determined none shall excel him in the District for fashion, durability and neatness, and hopes by his strict attention, to merit a share of public patronage

All orders and measures will be strictly attended to and executed on the shortest notice.

Two apprentices wanted to the above business; boys from the country will be preferred. JAMES C. WHITE.

February 24

SALES AT AUCTION.

By S. A. MARSTELLER

On FRIDAY, at 10 A. M.

Will be sold at the auction store, on a liberal credit. Terms at sale.

81 ps. Canton checks
15 Bandano hdkfs
78 levantine shawls
39 gurrahs
23 cambric ginghams
3 florentine
14 dowlas
4 6/4 hhdkfs
2 Marseilles
5 white gauze
10 leno muslin
1 silk velvet
Mantua and silk ribbon
Ribbons in sets
Plush trimmings
Blue nankeens
Domestic cloths broad and narrow
Coatings, &c. &c.
60 pieces Irish sacking
ALSO,
100 fine fur hats
19 unfinished do
9 wool do
4 lady's fancy do
20 small do
ALSO,
10 hhds first quality sugar
15 bls do do
2 pipes French brandy
1 hhd molasses
1 pipe gin
1000 weight cheese
1 seroon indigo
10 boxes Spanish segars
2 good second hand drays
1 cart
A few elegant pieces of furniture
Beds, &c. &c.
WILL BE ADDED TO THE SALE.
722 lbs fresh almonds

Public Sale.

ON MONDAY, the 29th inst. at 11 o'clock, will be sold on the premises, a lot of GROUND, situate at the corner of Queen and Water streets, the property of the heirs of the late Robert Smith. Terms liberal, and made known at the place of sale. S. A. MARSTELLER, Auct'r.

March 24

Public Sale.

PURSUANT to a deed of trust from Jas. Shethar, will be exposed at public sale on TUESDAY, 30th instant, at 11 o'clock at S. A. Marsteller's Vendue Store, in Alexandria, for ready money a variety of furniture—one hack, one phaeton, with harness, one cart with geer, one cow and the lease of the property lately occupied by him as a tavern.

By order of
N. HERBERT, *Trustee*,
S. A. MARSTELLER, Auct'r

March 17 ts

Laborers Wanted.

FROM 80 to 100 laborers are wanted to labor on the fortifications at fort Washington, for the ensuing season. Application to be made to me at the fort.

T. W. MAURICE,
Capt. Eng. Supt.

March 17

The National Intelligencer and Maryland Gazette are requested to insert the above for two weeks and forward their accounts to this office.

Nautical Books, Charts, &c.

For Sale by the Subscribers,

Bowditch's Navigator, latest edition
Blunt's Coast Pilot, do
Ship Masters' Assistant
Nautical Almanac for 1819
Charts:
Coast of France
England to the Texel
Batavia and Germany
W. and S. W. Coast of Ireland
British Channel
North and South George's do
England and France
English Channel and Pilot
Spain and Portugal
Baltic Sea
North ditto
Coast of Africa
Azores
Blunt's West Indies
Ditto 4 Charts
Carribean Sea
U. States from Nova Scotia to Florida
South Coast of do
Nova Scotia
Rio de la Plata [Providence
American Coast from Halifax to N.
North East Coast of ditto
Atlantic Ocean [instruments
A good assortment of mathematical
Gunter's scales and dividers
Day and night telescopes
Slates and pencils; sea glasses
Log paper; Sea journals
Shipping papers: Manifests, &c. &c.

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

March 22 mwf2w

I wish to Hire,

FOR the ensuing year, two or three able bodied Black Men, accustomed to the work of a farm. J. L. M'KENNA.

November 30 d3tfmwf

Fresh Oranges, &c.

THE subscriber has received
50 boxes large sweet oranges
12 boxes fresh prunes
400 lb. dates
10 drums figs
10 bags filberts

On hand raisins, currants, lemons, walnuts, almonds, olives, capers, anchovies, &c. &c. for sale by LOUIS BEELER.

March 20 stath2w

Houses to Let.

A small comfortable house on Cameron street, a little above the church, now occupied by Mr. Flannery.

ALSO,

A convenient two story house, with a garden, on the turnpike at the gate—the lot is an excellent stand for a wheelwright, or a blacksmith, now occupied as such by Mr. Horner; to such a tenty encouragement will be given. A. HOLLINGSHEAD.

March 18

HOUSES, LANDS &c.

Building Lots or Sale.

SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR
October 13 tf

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the *Warehouses* thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to
WM. HERBERT, jr.
August 25 tf

To Let,

THAT convenient Brick house on Royal street, now occupied by Mr. Charles Tyler—possession to be had the 22nd of December next for terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
November 3

To Rent,

A convenient BRICK Dwelling house, at the upper end of King-st suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops.—Apply to JAMES SANDERSON.
November 12

Houses for Sale.

The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business.

Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, esq. for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented.

☞All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured. Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
September 28 dtf

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The im-

provements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary outhouse, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensils and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pohick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.
September 4 GEORGE MASON.

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE subscriber is desirious of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairfax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from Alexandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood—10 to 50 in thriving meadow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and rye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail fence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and

convenient frame dwelling house and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There is on this place a rich and productive garden, and a large body of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as nutricious as the best timothy or clover.—With the farm would be sold a number of very valuable horses, cows and sheep; waggon, carts, and a variety of farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and rye, and 40 tons hay. Also, adjoining the one above described, a farm containing 160 acres, recently enclosed, on which is a

brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a considerable part might be easily converted into meadow.—it would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To prevent unnecessary application, he would observe, that they will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be carried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his household furniture, which is new and handsome. For terms of all or any part of the above property, apply to NOBLET HERBERT, esq. or
Oct 9 FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

For Rent.

A very convenient dwelling house on the lower part of Royal-st, adjoining the house now occupied by Mr. Generes. Possession may be had immediately.
JOHN T. BROOKS.
january 1

For Rent,

A convenient two story framed dwelling house, pleasantly situated, between Water and Gibbon streets. Possession will be given immediately. For terms apply to
ROBERT HUNTER.
january 2

Aromatic Snuff,

For Catarrh & Headache.

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge, mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
Sole Agents for Alexandria.
September 24 tf

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.

Samuel Smith, *Complainant*,
AGAINST
Leonard Mudd and John Cohagen, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Leonard Mudd not having entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, John Cohagen, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Leonard Mudd, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C
january 25

District of Columbia:

County of Alexandria, ss. } 1818.
November Term, }

ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Rezin Webster, to show cause, on the first day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of William R. Webster, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said William Webster, according to law. It is ordered that this rule, as to Rezin Webster, be published in one of the Alexandria newspapers three weeks successively.

A Copy,
Teste, EDM. I. LEE, C. C.
january 26 d3w

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit, } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.

Philip Triplett and Christopher Neale, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Triplett & Neale, *Complainants*,
AGAINST
Thomas Vanname, Joseph Miligan, James B. Holmead, John Withers and Reuben Withers, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, Robert McCrea and William Gregory, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Robert McCrea & Co.; Thomas H. Beall, William Cooper; Samuel Lindsay and Laurence Hill, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Lindsay & Hill; Thomas Janney and John D. Brown, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Thomas Janney & Co.; Bryan H. Mullin, Bryan Hampson and Robert H. Harrison, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Bryan H. Mullin & Co.; Anthony Holmead; John Stetinius, John Ingle and Eleazer Lindsay, under the firm of Ingle & Lindsay, *Defendants*

THE defendant Thomas H. Beall, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 26

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.

John Withers and Reuben Withers, trading under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, *Complainants*,
AGAINST
Thomas Swann, Colin Auld and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse and Rounsavell, George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller, Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Seimmes; Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, executor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, *Defendants*.

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive. Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the president and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the president and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for 2 months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I LEE, C. C.
january 21 th2m

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.

The Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, *Complainants*,
AGAINST
Thomas W. Peyton and William H. Dundass, *Defendants*.

THE defendant Thomas W. Peyton not having entered his appearance to this suit, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant Thomas W. Peyton, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, William H. Dundass, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the public newspapers published in this county, for two months successively; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house in said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 22

To Ship-owners,

MASTERS OF VESSELS & OTHERS

THE subscriber (late from England) mathematical instrument maker, offers his services to clean and repair all sorts of *Ship's Compasses, Quadrants, Sextants, &c.* in the best manner, at his house on Prince street, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets.
Oct 31 DANIEL MUNRO.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.

Francis Keene, *Complainant*,
AGAINST
Thomas Swann, Colin Auld, and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse & Rounsavell; George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller; Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville and Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Seimmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, Executor of William Tyler; Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburgh, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, *Defendants*.

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE. C. C.
january 26 tu2m

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.

Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, *Complainants*,
AGAINST
Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Paton & Butcher; and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, *Defendants*.

THE defendant Thomas Roberts not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of the Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Thomas Roberts is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Thomas Roberts, do appear here on the first day of the next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in this county, for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 22

Wheat.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given. THOMAS V. HUCK.
9th mo 16 tf

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.

James Sanderson, *Complainant*,
AGAINST
Catherine F. McCall; and John Creighton and William Gilham, the two last under the firm of John Creighton & Company, *Defendants*.

THE defendant Catherine F. McCall not having entered her appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, John Creighton & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of the said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 25

PROPOSALS
BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription,
A BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS
TO THE
Declaration of Independence,
ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES;

To which will be annexed a history of the proceedings of congress during the passage of the law, and the Declaration itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures.

By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC.

IT seems a little surprising that amongst so many subjects as have been presented for American Biography, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to the Declaration of Independence have been overlooked or disregarded. The eyes of thousands have dwelt with rapture upon the document that announced to the world that "these United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free, sovereign, and independent states;" while we are better acquainted with the handwriting than with the characters of many of those illustrious men who have added their signatures to that instrument. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with a few splendid exceptions, gone to their graves, and it behoves a generous posterity, sensible of their obligations, to preserve their fame. The longer we neglect the payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become.—Traits of individual character are fugitive and evanescent; and if they are not snatched by the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an early season, from the cold grasp of death, will soon partake of the oblivion of the body.—It is not the object of the present attempt, to deal in that profusion of indiscriminate and unsparing panegyric, so often and so falsely dignified with the name of Biography: we wish to represent the characters as they were; they stand in need of no panegyric; and we earnestly solicit from the surviving relations and friends of those revolutionary patriots all the information that will tend to a developement of character. Man is the creature of circumstance, and we wish to show the progress of those patriots from their first resistance of colonial aggression, until they stood forth the noble and undaunted champions of their country's independence. All this can only be done by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of these men, and whoever of the surviving friends or relatives will furnish facts and circumstances in their possession to unfold and illustrate their characters, shall be entitled to a copy of the work as a recompense. It is contemplated, wherever it is practicable, further to embellish the meditated work with correct likenesses of the subjects of our biography, executed by the most eminent artists in the country. For this purpose we again solicit the assistance of their surviving relatives and friends. If they will transmit to the publisher any engraving or portrait from which a copy may be taken, the original shall be faithfully returned, and shall likewise be remunerated with a copy of the work. In the first number it is proposed to give an account of the Declaration of Independence, from the first motion that was made on the floor of congress until its final passage into a law, a period embracing much curious and secret history: finally, we promise to add to our last number the Declaration of Independence itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures. We have now compendiously stated the objects of our present undertaking, and we hope that it will be unnecessary to mention that no exertions on our part shall be spared.

The public are now in possession of our project, which does indeed seem to be demanded, by the avidity so recently displayed for the possession of the Declaration of Independence, since it is of very little import to become acquainted with a man's hand writing without a previous knowledge of the man. The secret history of our Declaration of Independence, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to that instrument, accompanied by their likenesses, and finally the Declaration itself with fac-similes of the signatures, will bring into one compact view the prominent facts of that interesting crisis.

CONDITIONS.

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